

Biological / Natural Systems



Fleming Training Center

Course # 1204

Who should attend?

Persons who are currently working in Biological/Natural Systems who are planning on becoming certified operators or who want to have a better understanding of these systems.

There is no prerequisite for the course, however, <u>basic math skills are essential</u>. If the student has difficulty with math, it is recommended that they attend the Basic Math Course # 1004 prior to this class.

Course Description

This is an introductory course on wastewater with an emphasis on biological/natural treatment systems. Plus, all math needed for a BNS operator will be covered, there is <u>no need</u> to also take Applied Math for Wastewater Operators Course # 1201.

Topics Include:

- Wastewater Characteristics
- Facultative and Aerated Lagoons
- Intermittent Sand Filters
- Spray Irrigation
- Constructed Wetlands
- Overland Flow Systems
- Disinfection and Lab Procedures
- Math

Course Materials

Please bring a Study Guide printed off Fleming website for Biological/Natural Systems class (or request a book be printed for you by FTC), scientific calculator, scratch paper, highlighter, and pens or pencils to class.

No textbook is required. For a complete list of exam reference textbooks, please visit our website.



Course Length

The course is four and a half class days.

Experience Credit

Three months for Biological/Natural System applicants.

Continuing Education

Approved for six hours of continuing education credit for **certified**Biological/Natural System operators.

Fees

\$275.00 for class

\$10.00 for Study Guide (or print from Fleming website for free)

Questions? Contact:

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